

STRIKE A SCHEME

Powerful Labor Men Will Break Away From Shea and May Bring Strike to Close

GRAND JURY SAID TO HAVE SENSATIONAL EVIDENCE

BROUGHT STRIKE AGAINST MONTGOMERY WARD FOR \$30,000, IS SAID TO BE A FACT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CHICAGO, June 17.—A demand for a settlement of the strike is being framed up by anti-Shea delegates in the teamsters' joint council, according to reports today.

It is said powerful leaders of the teamsters' union have broken away from the Shea clique and will attempt to secure enough pledges today and Sunday to force the joint council at the meeting Monday to call off the strike.

It is reported representatives of several unions will protest at the meeting of the Federation of Labor tomorrow against a continuance of assessments for the benefit of the teamsters.

A Conspiracy.
The admission is made by United States Attorney Healy that the grand jury found important evidence con-

firmed the report that the present strike is the result of a conspiracy directed against the firm of Montgomery Ward & Co. by other employers and the strike leaders, involving the payment of \$30,000 in installments of \$10,000 and \$20,000.

Grafters Threatened Him.
The grand jury investigating the alleged labor graft heard two witnesses this morning. George Wahl of the State's restaurant then told the jury certain labor leaders had made serious threats of injury to him if he continued to buy of boycotted houses. At the close of the session Assistant United States Attorney Fiske intimated that a number of indictments would be returned. When the jury meets Monday the labor leaders will be invited to tell all they know of the alleged attempts to bribe them.

OSCAR WILL AGREE TO DISSOLUTION OF THE UNION

IF SWEDISH RIKSDAG CONFIRMS IT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
LONDON, June 17.—A dispatch from Copenhagen states that it is learned from reliable authority that if the Swedish riksdag agrees to the dissolution of the union of Sweden and Norway, King Oscar will be perfectly willing to designate a prince of the house of Bernadotte as king of Norway.

CELEBRATE ANNI-VERSARY OF BATTLE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
BOSTON, June 17.—The anniversary of the battle of Bunkerhill today was celebrated by a suspension of business and a military display at Charlestown and other festivities.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Panke of North Fourth street, was lost yesterday afternoon and was away for several hours when she was found on the corner of Fourth and Main streets by a policeman.

SKELETON IS DUG FROM EARTH NEAR CLOSE GARAGE

Evidence That Spot Was at One Time Used as a Burial Ground by the Indians

An old Indian or aboriginal burial ground was once located where Close's machine shop and automobile garage is now located, on lower Main street.

While excavating at the rear of the building yesterday workmen discovered a number of human bones and var-

ious queer shaped stones, which indicate that at one time the spot has been used for a burial ground. A short time ago while excavations were being made next door, a human skeleton was discovered, by the same workmen. An investigation will be made to ascertain if the place was really used as a burial ground.

MINISTER BOWEN BACK FROM VENEZUELA



MR. BOWEN

BIGELOW "BROKE" THE FIRST NATIONAL
MUST WIPE \$2,000,000 FROM ASSETS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 17.—The Bigelow defalcation, it is declared by the city tax commissioner, wiped out the entire undivided profits of \$600,000 of the First National, the surplus of a half million and two thirds of the capital stock.

Bank examiners have ordered the bank to mark off its books \$2,000,000 of its assets, leaving about \$535,000.

LA CROSSE TO HAVE FOUR MORE LARGE CONVENTIONS

The next following convention will be held in July, and then in August, the big state postmasters' convention will meet here. This will be one of the best conventions of the summer. Although it will not comprise more than perhaps fifty delegates, these will all be postmasters, from the different cities of the state, and the convention will be of great significance for La Crosse.

The last and greatest convention yet to be held will be that of the Upper Mississippi Improvement association which will be held here in September.

VOUGHT-BERGERS TO PLAY AT ARCADIA

The Vought-Bergers Baseball team of the north side leave this evening for Arcadia where they will meet the Arcadia baseball team tomorrow in a match game, which is predicted to be one of the best of the season.

The batteries for the two teams are La Crosse, Fleece and Squires, Arcadia, Kuhnholz and Green.

Charles F. Marson, of this city is spending his summer vacation at his home here, after a successful season on the road with an eastern theatrical company.

The reports from the surrounding country are that the cereals will be greatly damaged by the rains unless the weather takes a sudden change.



MR. BOWEN AND HIS WIFE LEAVING THE STEAMER

BOY CRUSHED BENEATH BIG HEAVY WOOD WAGON

Harold Singer, Aged 5 Years, Almost Fatally Hurt--Collar Bone Broken--Condition Serious

Harold Singer, a son of L. Singer, of the Singer Boat Livery, while going home from school Thursday, was run over by a wagon loaded with wood, and almost killed. He is now at his home in a precarious condition.

The boy who is just five years of age, was run over by a truck owned by Phalon, Tolmas & Phalon of this city. As the two wagon loads of wood passed up the street, the one hitched to the other, the small boy, unnoticed by the driver, climbed onto the pole connecting the two to catch

BIJOU PLAYERS TO COME FROM PITTSBURG

FINE ACTS ARRANGED FOR THE WEEK

Beginning Monday evening there will be presented at the Bijou theatre several vaudeville acts which have been brought to this city from the east for the occasion. The "Whitesides," young and talented travesty artists, who make the jump from Pittsburgh to this city, will present their comedy creation, "Nonsense." The illustrated song will be the new and beautiful ballad, "Genevieve."

One of the really latest acts in vaudeville will also be presented in Mr. McNamee, a wonderful clay modeler. The artist models in sight of the audience the features of well known men and women. Another attraction of no small interest will be the dainty little girl with the big black eyes, "Tulsa," a character singer and light-

ning change artist. But the most interesting of all promises to be another eastern team, H. V. and Bessie Lee in the "Mysterious Mysteries." Their act is in the form of an illusion and is said to be a series of mystifying surprises.

In the Kenodrome will be shown the start of the famous Atlantic ocean yacht race for the Kaiser's cup, which sailed only a couple of weeks ago. The motion pictures will also present several comedy features, including "Toules of a Wedding Day."

May Buy Organ
It is stated that parties are in the city from some town in Illinois looking over the plant of the Morning Chronicle with the probable purpose of taking it off the hands of its present owner. It is not known whether it is to be a wash sale, a "lease" or a real sale. It may be, however, that the prospective purchasers after sizing up the situation would not care to close the deal—and feed the elephant, as it were. However, it has been known for some time that the present owner of the Chronicle has been trying to unload the burden for some time, and it is possible that the newspaper, a part of which is now set up in the office of the Leader-Press, may be disposed of in some way, if this is found possible.

WANTED—Second girl at Country club.

ARMISTICE ARRANGED

Oyama and Linevitch to Arrange Terms for Peace on Field

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—The Novoe Vremya says an armistice between the armies in Manchuria has been arranged.

Japs to Borrow Here.
NEW YORK, June 17.—K. Takashashi, Japan's financial agent, by whose efforts the war loans were floated, has been summoned to Tokio. They leave New York June 24. Takashashi will consult the imperial cabinet regarding further loans needed in business operations which follow the cessation of hostilities. He said he believed the new loan would be placed in America or England and that a rate as low as four percent would be obtainable.

Czar Has Assembly Plans.
ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—It is announced the czar on May 28th received plans for the establishment of the proposed representative assembly.

Britain Protests.
ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—Strong representations were made to the Russian government this afternoon by Great Britain in connection with the sinking of merchant vessels belonging to neutral powers, especially the sinking of British steamer St. Kilda by the cruiser Dneiper.

NEBRASKA GRAIN TRUST IS SUED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)
BLAIR, Neb., June 17.—The Worral Grain company of Omaha this morning filed a suit against the Nebraska Grain Dealers' association asking \$128,000 damages, alleging that the association is a trust. Thirty-nine grain firms are in the association.

Banker Bigelow Expected to be Jailed

As Banker Bigelow accompanied by Fred Voegel and Fred Pfister of Milwaukee stood talking in a corridor of a Milwaukee theatre one evening about ten days previous to Bigelow's statement, said Mr. C. J. Recht of Chicago at the Stoddard today, "I heard Bigelow make a remark which I've later learned had some significance."

They were talking of the failure of certain stocks in which they all appeared to be interested. "Suddenly Pfister who had stood to one side came up and accosted Bigelow. 'I really don't see how you fellows manage to keep out of jail,' said Mr. Pfister."

"That's what puzzles me," replied the embezzler. "Neither do I."

"Ten days later Bigelow proved the truth of his remark. He filed a statement showing his defalcations amounted to millions."

The Misses Betsey Peterson and Sophia Thompson of Viroqua are the guests of friends in this city for a few days.

Paul J. Miller who has been a La Crosse visitor for a few days has returned to his home at Milwaukee.

STORM HURTS TRAFFIC

Tracks are Washed Out and St. Paul Uses "Q" Tracks

One of the severest storms which has visited this district this summer, was that of last night. Although it did not hold out in intensity long the damage done was great and serious injury was done to the railroads and country roads.

As a result almost all of the trains into this city were delayed today, and many bridges, culverts, etc., were washed out.

Small country streams, which early last evening were almost dry, have during the night swollen to the size of raging torrents and much damage has been done to the farmers. Large tracts of hilly lands along the bluffs have been washed out and as a result the loss in crops will be great.

The regular Milwaukee passenger train known as No. 2 which is due here at 3 o'clock in the morning did not arrive until 8 o'clock and the morning Northwestern train was delayed for two hours by a washout on the other side of Winona, which completely tied up the road for several hours.

The trouble on the Milwaukee road was at Minnesota City where a large stretch of track was washed away, and a small bridge is gone. This necessitated the tearing up of the entire track and the morning trains were operated over the Burlington tracks.

Farmers coming into the city today from the eastern portion of the county report that untold damage has been caused to country roads, and that hundreds of dollars worth of repairs will have to be made.

The heavy rise in the smaller streams will probably cause another flood from the Mississippi and more trouble is looked forward to by river men.

HOTTENTOTS CAPTURE GERMAN STATION

CAPE TOWN, June 17.—The report that the Hottentots captured Warmbad, the chief German military station in Southwest Africa June 2, is confirmed. The German officers in the town escaped.

MISS ROTH BUYS MILLINERY STORE

Miss Tillie Roth, sister of Roth Brothers, of La Crosse, has purchased the millinery and ladies' furnishing goods business of Miss Laura Hendrickson at West Salem, who retires on account of poor health. Miss Roth will add largely to the stock, make improvements of various kinds and continue the business at the present stand. A dressmaking department will also be established. This store has always enjoyed a good trade and doubtless will prove a very profitable enterprise under the efficient management of Miss Roth. This is the only millinery store in West Salem, the best town of its size, commercially, in the state.

RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT LOSES \$3,000,000 IN A FIRE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

MOSCOW, June 17.—Over \$3,000,000 damage has already been caused by a fire which started last night in three commissary store departments, following several mysterious explo-

sions. Eight men lost their lives as a result of the explosions, which are believed to have been due to a plot. The fire is still burning.

North Side News

Branch Office 532 Mill Street
Old Phone 9124 H. W. SINGER, Mgr.

BIG WASHOUT AT MINNESOTA CITY

ST. PAUL RY. USES "Q" TRACKS TODAY

A bad washout occurred last evening on the Milwaukee road at Minnesota City.

Several of the passenger trains ran over the Burlington road this morning and will continue to do so until the place has been repaired.

A large crew of men are now working there.

NORTH LA CROSSE AND RAMBLERS TO PLAY

A game of baseball has been arranged between the North La Crosse and Ramblers on the George street grounds, Sunday, June 18th. Jacques and Squires will be the battery for the North La Crosse and Anderson and Fasting for the Ramblers.

ERECTS A MONUMENT TO HIS SON

The C. J. Crosby Granite company has just completed the erection of a handsome monument over the grave of Grover Downs, son of Alderman John Downs, in the Catholic cemetery. The monument which Alderman Downs had placed at his son's grave is a handsome one. The top is of imported moss green, the center of Wisconsin and the base of Barre, Vermont, granite.

PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY LAST NIGHT

Miss Mabel Miller of 1226 Avon street, was very pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends last evening. Music was rendered by several of the visitors and the remainder of the evening was spent with games. Refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Ira Kenney, Roe Chubb, Mae Orwell, Ella Gage, Ella Miller, Gertrude Clemens, Lena Swale and Messrs. Jerome Larson, Melyna Siverson, Harry Schneller, Clarence Siloway.

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A delicious table water and as a medicinal water it is unsurpassed. It is a natural remedy for Rheumatism, Constipation, Catarrh of the stomach and all diseases arising from a torpid liver.

Bottled by
North Side Bottling Works,
La Crosse, Wis. Both Phones.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Three thousand cords dry 16 inch mill wood. Thomas & Phalon Coal company. Both phones.

Miss Natelle Johnson of Caledonia street has returned home from Plattsville where she is attending normal school.

Mrs. Albert Johnson of Caledonia street has left for a visit with parents in the southern part of the state. She will stay until the latter part of July.

Wanted—A barber, Frank Farnham, 516 Mill street.

Melton Figgie of 1027 Rose street is ill.

Mrs. Charles Pierce and children of 1031 Rose street are the guests of relatives in Portage.

A fine program has been prepared for children's day which is to be celebrated at the Scandinavian Baptist church tomorrow.

Miss Mary Kraveny will visit Portage, Reeseville, Milwaukee and on her return will stop off at La Crosse enroute to her home at Morton, Minn.

For Sale—House and store building—to be moved. Inquire Thomas & Phalon, 700 Rose.

Frank R. Haynes has established a very unique way of advertising throughout the city and has the scores of the league teams on his card.

Delightful Old Fashioned Party

A very interesting party was given a number of friends last evening by Miss Nellie Davidson at her home at 1602 Charles street. It was a real "old time party" and many appeared in picturesque costumes. Up to date music was out of the question and so music was furnished on a harmonica. The evening was also spent with various games and an elaborate supper was served about midnight.

Those present were Misses Anna Paulson, Marie Jensen, Ida Wingstad, Bertha Borreson, Paul Johnson, Adah Streeter, Emma Rund, Norah Wagner, Lillah Anderson, Ida Mabel and Minnie, Paulson, Laura Davidson, Mrs. Dell Davidson and Messrs. Alex Myhre, A. Black, Ed. Hammer, Sever Spoonick, Dell, Davidson, Nels Rund, Helmer Wingstad, Walter Peterson, Leonard Larson, Jno. Brakke, Tony Johnson, Oscar Myhre, Nelmer Davidson, Jno. Haroldson, Alf. Hoel.

SCARED OUT OF HER WEALTH

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 17. — Charging that undue influence was exerted on Mrs. Mary McNamara to leave her fortune of over \$100,000 to the church and to the clergy, the cousins of the deceased have started suits to break the will. The allegation is that she was frightened into the disposing of her estate.

The deposition of Dr. John E. Stroud, of Phoenix, A. T., who attended the deceased while she was in that city for her health, declares that Mrs. McNamara was in constant fear of death and that she had often been told the only sure road to heaven was by charity.

The deposition of Arthur McNamara, of Limerick, alleges that Father Brown, of Grand Rapids, while on a visit to Ireland offered him an annuity of \$100 if he would release all claims.

ALFALFA BY IRRIGATION YELLOWSTONE VALLEY, MONTANA.

There are more than 60,000 acres of land watered by irrigation ditches and peculiarly adapted to the raising of alfalfa, for sale in the Yellowstone valley west of Billings, Mont.

The soil varies from gumbo to sandy loam, and alfalfa does well on all of it. The following figures show what alfalfa will do on irrigated, as compared with common hay on unirrigated, land.

One acre sown to alfalfa and irrigated, will produce 10,000 pounds of hay.

One acre in enclosed pasture, 500 pounds.

One acre of range averages 250 pounds. Or again:

One acre of irrigated alfalfa will feed one steer 400 days.

One acre of enclosed pasture will feed one steer 20 days.

One acre of average range will feed one steer 10 days.

Or putting it in the form of sheep, it will show as follows:

160 acres of irrigated alfalfa will maintain 1600 sheep one year.

160 acres of enclosed pasture will maintain 800 sheep one year.

And 160 acres of range will maintain 400 sheep one year.

For publications and further information along the Northern Pacific Ry., ask for Series C302.

Write to C. W. Mott, general emigration regarding this and other distribution agent, Northern Pacific Ry., St. Paul, Minn.

Go to the Bijou tonight.

TENSION BETWEEN GERMANY AND FRANCE OVER MOROCCO

SENSATIONS ARE SPRUNG, BUT ARE QUICKLY DENIED

Matters might be Better if Method Were to be Found

Paris, June 17.—The strained relations between France and Germany over Morocco continue to give rise to serious apprehension, but while openly admitting that there are real difficulties involved the officials protest against this being made the basis of exaggerated reports. Such reports have been circulated for several days past by a small and uninfluential section of the press, notably by The Patrie and The Presse. One report that Germany had submitted an ultimatum brought out a formal denial from the foreign office.

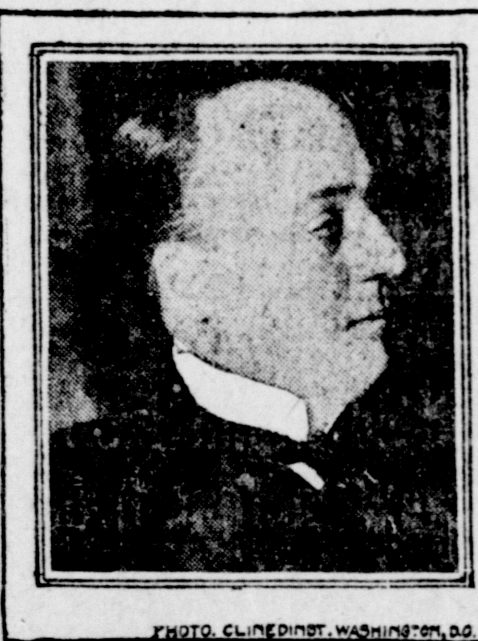
Warned Against Nervous Paroxysms. Another report in The Patrie is that Germany has demanded that France and Great Britain complete a guarantee that the Anglo-French entente is not in the nature of an armed alliance against Germany. The Presse asserts that M. Delcasse, when foreign minister, signed a secret offensive and defensive alliance with Great Britain. These reports are dismissed in authoritative quarters as fanciful enlargements of the situation, and an editorial in the semi-official Temps gives warning against what it terms "nervous paroxysms."

Diplomatic Strain Is Serious. At the same time the diplomatic strain between France and Germany is undeniably serious. The chief cause of this is the inability thus far of each party to propose a remedy acceptable to the other. France is tenacious to uphold her predominant position in Morocco without subjecting it to inspection and revision by the international congress proposed by Germany. On the other hand Germany does not recognize French predominance in Morocco or the Anglo-French agreement on which this predominance is based.

Germany vs. John Bull and France. This German issue is equally against Great Britain and France, although the latter is more immediately involved. All parties are making appeal to the friendly co-operation of other nations, so that indirectly all Europe is participating in the controversy, and this permits a wide range of speculation concerning a rearrangement of political alliances. However, the officials maintain that the issue does not involve such far-reaching questions, but is the renewal of the long pending struggle over Morocco in aggravated form.

One Cause of Apprehension. One of the chief causes of the present apprehension is the possibility of some untoward incident along the Franco-German frontier, which for years has been garrisoned by formidable military forces.

MR. FRICK'S COUNSEL IN EQUITABLE FIGHT



NAN PATTERSON'S ATTORNEY



Very Low Rates to Northern Wisconsin Saengerfest at Wausau, Wis., Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold on June 22, 23 and 24, with favorable return limits. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

Grand Jury Expects to Catch Some Labor Sharks

Chicago, June 17.—The grand jury is said to believe itself on the eve of unearthing a labor scandal of gigantic dimensions and infinite ramifications, embracing dozens of labor leaders and other dozens of business men. "Graft" is said to have been rife in the management and settlement of strikes and thousands of dollars are said to have been paid various labor leaders to call off labor troubles. So far the only thing that seems to be a fact is that Driscoll, the ex-Team Owners' association secretary, has testified that he had settled many strikes by having the "struck" firms pay the men for the time they had lost on strike, and considered it a perfectly square way to settle strikes.

Then he is said to have testified that the owners of teams and the union teamsters combined so that none, employer or employee, could do any business unless he belonged to one or the other of the combines, increasing the cost to the public of coal; that Shea was given \$8,000 to keep the teamsters from joining the stock yards strike, failed to do so, but kept the money. Shea laughed this story to scorn, and other labor leaders denied that any money had passed in strikes that was not justly due. Then there are mixed up in the stories told of grand jury secrets a lot of women of easy virtue with whom the principals in the graft conspired themselves, and it is a fact that some women have been before the grand jury.

While all this is going on it is still a dangerous thing for a man without a union button to drive a wagon in Chicago streets and stories of riots and stone throwing are numerous. But the "struck" houses are doing business nearly if not quite up to normal proportions.

Miss Ruth McCracken is the guest la, is the guest of the Misses Emma and Louise Gund.

Go to the Bijou.

GRIEF GAVE THIS MAN LOCKJAW

New York, June 17.—What physicians say is the first authentic case here of tetanus trismus, or lockjaw resulting from grief, has been discovered at a Harlem hospital. The victim is a young man who arrived from Italy two weeks ago. He had \$25, and a few hours after landing was swindled by the numerous padrones who infest the Battery and Italian quarters. Grief-stricken over the loss of his money, which he intended to use to continue his journey westward, the Italian went to the home of a friend and sat for hours cursing the thieves. He became more and more melancholy and angry, and five days later his jaws became locked. Thus far the doctors have failed in their efforts to relieve him, and he is being kept alive with liquid food.

Moderate Improvement Says R. G. Dunn

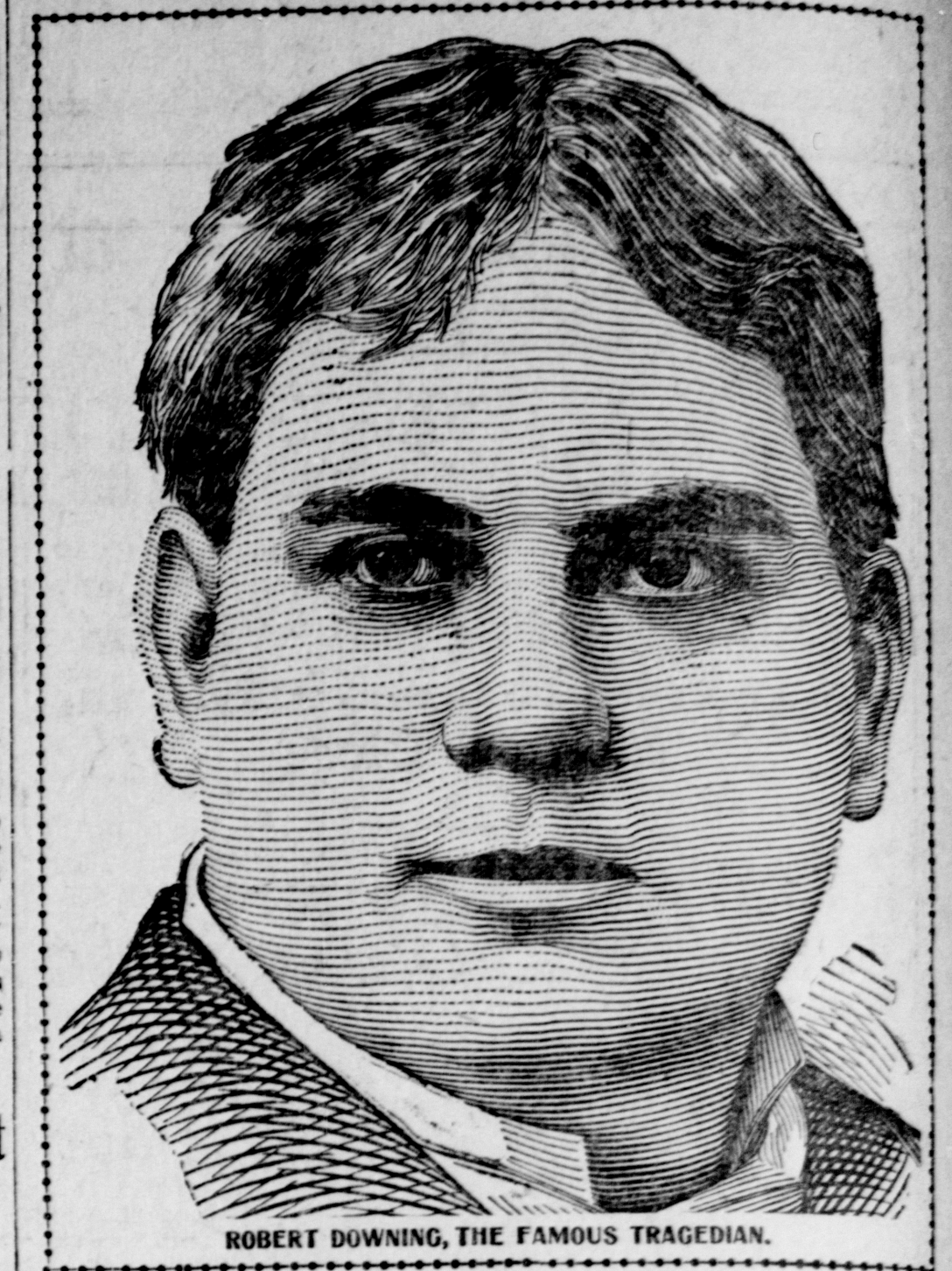
New York, June 17.—R. G. Dunn & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says: Moderate improvement is noted in commercial conditions, although progress is along conservative lines and there is no evidence of speculative excesses. Seasonable weather has stimulated retail sales of light-weight wearing apparel, and jobbers report more disposition among dealers to place orders for fall and winter goods. Mercantile payments are also more prompt, the brighter crop outlook having a salutary effect on all commercial operations.

Although little new business is noted in pig iron the steel mills are busy, and confidence is expressed in developments next month. Textile manufacturing is in better condition than at any recent date, high prices for raw material exerting no retarding influence as yet, and most of the idleness in the leading industries is attributed to seasonable overhauling of machinery and taking of inventories. Failures this week numbered 229 in the United States, against 257 last year, and 25 in Canada, compared with 16 a year ago.

Excursion Tickets to Milwaukee, Wis. Via the Northwestern Line, will be sold June 16 to 22, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of Biennial Meeting of Modern Woodmen. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

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In speaking of Peruna, Robert Downing, the famous tragedian, says:

"You may notice that persons in poor health always find the heat most intolerable; this I avoid by using Peruna. I know by the thermometer that the weather is hot, yet I have felt the heat less this summer than ever."

"I find Peruna a preventative against all sudden summer ills that swoop upon one in changing climates and water. It is the finest traveling companion and safeguard against malarial influences."

"The cooling action of Peruna on the mucous membrane makes it invaluable to actors and singers, as it does away with that tendency to sudden hoarseness so apt to overtake one on emerging from a hot dressing room to a draughty stage."

"To sum it up Peruna has done me more good than any tonic I have ever taken."—Robert Downing.

Dr. Hartman was the first physician in the United States to accurately describe systemic catarrh. His remedy, Peruna, the only systemic catarrh remedy yet devised, is now known all over the civilized world.

Write for a copy of Dr. Hartman's latest book, entitled, "Chronic Catarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

All correspondence held strictly confidential.

Yesterday and Today. The Chicago & Northwestern railway issued a valuable and interesting compendium of railway history in the Northwest from the time when the Indians ceded the United States the last territory east of the Mississippi up to the present day. Over a hundred pages of historic matter concerning the various roads forming what is known as The Northwestern Line, well printed in strong paper covers, postpaid for ten cents. W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., Chicago.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of woman.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

New Train Service Between Salem, S. D., and Sioux City, Iowa. Via the Northwestern Line. A train will leave Salem at 6:00 a. m. daily except Sunday, arrive Alton 10:00 a. m., Sioux City 11:30 a. m. Returning, leave Sioux City 4:00 p. m. except Sunday, leave Alton 5:25 p. m., arriving Salem 9:20 p. m. These trains will run through without change at Alton, giving a very desirable addition to the railway service of points on the Northwestern Line between Salem and Sioux City.

Steady Light.

The Light from the NERNST LAMP is perfectly steady; there is no feeding mechanism of any kind to cause flickering, and no wandering of the light around to different sides of the lamp, as in the arc lamp. Absence of flicker is one of the most important characteristics of a good illuminant

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By ALICE W. WHEELER

Sale of Summer Underwear

Monday and all the week we offer a line of Summer Underwear that is faultless in fit, finish and fabrics, at special low prices.

At 10c we offer Gauze vests that are worth 19c, through a lucky purchase we got these, they are fancy openwork vests, lace trimmed vests, plain, jersey or swiss ribbed vests, sleeveless or wing sleeves. Come early Monday and get your share of these bargains.

Women's Gauze Vests swiss ribbed, low V neck, silk taped, sleeveless or wing sleeves, special Monday each..... **13c**

Women's Gauze Vests lisle thread high or low neck, long sleeves, short sleeves or no sleeves, special Monday each..... **25c**

Knit Corset Covers with long sleeves or without sleeves, high neck, shaped to fit the form, special each..... **25c**

Women's extra size vests, shaped garments, with or without sleeves, low neck, each..... **35c**

Stop at the Hosiery Department Monday.

Children's Hose fast black, ribbed and seamless, any size, per pair... **10c**

Women's fancy hose, black or tans, lace striped or embroidered, special per pair Monday... **25c**

Men's Fancy Hose mottled effects, fancy emb. in black or tan, special pair..... **25c**

Women's Drawers, lace trimmed, umbrella style, 35c value, Monday..... **25c**

Women's Drawers lisle thread, lace trimmed, umbrella style, special Monday..... **45c**

Women's Union Suits plain or lace trimmed, knee length, special price..... **35c**

Women's Union Suits knee length, lace trimmed, low square neck, special..... **45c**

Men's and Boys' Underwear. Men's balbriggan shirts and drawers, special each..... **23c**

Men's best Balbriggan shirts and drawers, best maco combed yarn, sizes 32 to 50 each... **50c**

Boys' Athletic shirts and Knickerbockers or long sleeve shirts and ankle length drawers, double seat at each **25c**

This has been a week of conventions, no less than six different ones being held here. There were about six thousand strangers in attendance. The city was gay with sounds of martial music and display of flags and bunting. It was suggested by some of the visitors that hospitable city be added to that of the gateway city, for as every one knows La Crosse has a well earned reputation in that direction, and all who come as guests are well entertained and go away with many pleasant recollections of the place and people.

The Scandinavian students from the University of Christiania were also one of the attractions of the week. Germania hall was crowded to its utmost capacity upon the evening of the concert and many went away disappointed that they could not get admittance. After the concert Dr. and Mrs. Gunderson gave a reception to the members of the company and friends. All present appreciated the privilege of meeting these delightful singers in person. Before dispersing they sang one of the national airs of their country which was vociferously applauded.

Another pleasant affair of the week was the reception at Masonic temple which was given by Miss Nannie Colwell to the Women's Relief Corps of the Wilson Colwell Post. Refreshments were served and a delightful social time enjoyed by those present.

MUSICAL AT HOME OF W. S. CARGILL.

The song recital Friday evening at the home of Mr. W. S. Cargill and arranged by Mrs. Rose Manning-Morphy proved a great musical success and added a good sum to the treasury of the Ladies' Whatsoever club of the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Morphy was at her best and her fine contralto voice revealed a remarkable compass, notably music of the minor key received touching expression, but rousing piece like "The Erl-King" and lighter music like "Roses in June" were given with easy, discriminating voice. New comers to La Crosse enjoying the recital at first assumed that the Liszt Quartet were imported talent, so well did their voices blend and so artistic was their work.

This new combination, consisting of Miss Alida Lindsey and Mrs. Evelyn Lawson, sopranos, and Miss Barbara Russell and Mrs. Morphy, contraltos, have been together but a month or two but they promise to give La Crosse many rich treats. Miss Simon's mastery of the sweet violin was enjoyed both in solo and obligato. The piano accompanists, Misses Harriet Batchelder and Miss Harriet Russell, executed with spirit and precision. The audience of one hundred or more richly enjoyed the splendid musical program, the social hour and refreshments that followed and the charming floral decorations. The event will be remembered as reflecting decided credit on Mrs. Morphy and all she enlisted in making it such a bright success.

POEHLING-METZ.

From the Nashville Banner, June 8th:

A marriage in which many inherited and personal friends of the bride felt a sincere and deep interest was that of Miss Ione Metz of this city and Mr. John Poehling of La Crosse, Wis., which was impressively and beautifully solemnized with nuptial high mass at 7 o'clock this morning at St. Patrick's cathedral. Palms and hydrangeas were effectively arranged upon the chancel of the church and on the altar were numerous vases containing bunches of gladioli. By reason of the bride's own rare musical gifts the beautiful wedding music seemed very fitting. Miss Nannie Dood was at the organ and with Miss Lucia Van Valkenburg on the bride's own violin Mendelssohn's Wedding March was played for a processional and during the service the "Melody of Love" and Tschetchnin's "Berceuse" was given. The procession was led by the ushers, Messrs. James Ryan with Charles McCabe and James Slowey with Henry Metz, Jr., followed by the groomsmen, Mr. Gosselin and the groom. Following then came the bride with Miss Aileen Timothy, her maid of honor, whose gown was blue crepe de chine handsomely trimmed with lace and hand work. She carried a large bouquet of American beauty roses. The bride whom Nashville society parts with genuine regret was fair and girlish in an exquisite creation of pale grey crepe de chine with a picture hat to match. On the short Eaton coat which had a deep collar of Irish lace and ruffles of Valenciennes lace there was elaborate handwork embroidery with touches of lavender. Her flowers were bride's roses, lilies of the valley. A wedding breakfast was served to the bridal party and near relatives in the handsome breakfast room of the Metz home immediately upon their return from the church. The decorations were Japanese and very unique. Upon the wall hung Japanese trophies, while swang from the ceiling were large umbrellas and oriental lights. The small tables were covered with scarfs with typical emblems of that country. There were thirty guests present. Banked in the hall and reception parlor were palms and white flowers. In

the upper hall the wedding presents were displayed, being many specimens of cut glass and silver, also a beautiful tea set of Japanese ware, cloisonne vases and china. Among the number was a handsome chest of silver from the grandfather of the bride, Mr. Henry Metz. In La Crosse also a large number of costly and handsome presents awaited them. Mrs. Corinne Metz, the mother of the bride, was costumed in black crepe and lace. Miss Metz, her school girl sister, wore a blue silk mull. The presence of a large number of out of town guests enhanced the social interest of the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Poehling left this evening for Chicago where they will be entertained at the Auditorium by Miss M. Geary. From there they go to Milwaukee where they will be entertained by relatives. The bride's going-away gown was a stylish black and white suit with hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Poehling arrived in the city last Saturday and are stopping at the Stoddard until their home, corner Ninth and Badger street, is in readiness for them. Mrs. Poehling is an accomplished violinist and will be a pleasant acquisition to La Crosse musical circles.

AN AFTERNOON AT HOME.

Thursday Mrs. George M. Heath and Mrs. George H. Gordon gave a charming and delightful afternoon reception at the home of Mrs. Heath. There were one hundred and sixty invitations issued. The rooms were all attractively decorated with choice flowers and foliage. The dining room looked deliciously cool in green and white, peonies and carnations in conjunction with green vines being freely used. In the library pink peonies were used, and in the reception parlor were pink roses.

Mrs. John Brindley and Mrs. Alfred James assisted the hostesses and ushered the guests to the various refreshment rooms. Mrs. Henry Gund and Mrs. R. S. Reid alternated with Mrs. J. J. Heirshheimer and Mrs. F. H. Scofield in serving coffee and salad. They were assisted by Miss Nannie Funk and Miss Ruth Heath. Punch was served in the library by Miss Margaret Burns, a school girl friend of the Misses Heath, and Miss Grace Heath. The spacious screened porch was fittingly decorated with carnations, vines and Japanese lilies. Mrs. C. S. Cone and Mrs. E. O. Edwards presided here over the ice cream and cake assisted by Miss Lucile Anderson and the Misses Emma and Louise Gund. Margery Gordon in the daintiest of gowns attended the door.

LA CROSSE HOPITAL GRADUATION EXERCISES.

Wednesday evening there was a pleasant gathering at the La Crosse hospital to witness the graduation exercises of the nurses of the training school. There were four who completed their course and received diplomas. Miss DeVan, Miss Mildred Hanke, Miss Helen M. Cass, and Miss Caroline Reuhman. The rooms were decorated with quantities of beautiful flowers contributed by private individuals. There was the stately lily, the queenly rose, the gorgeous peony and fragrant syringas, making it a scene of beauty. The president, Mr. Albert Hirschheimer, introduced the speakers, Dr. Townsend of New Lisbon and the Rev. Turner who made brief and appropriate addresses after which the diplomas were presented by Mr. C. H. Schweizer who made some apt remarks. There was also a fine musical program, Miss Barbara Russell and Mr. Howard Stryker each singing solos which were enthusiastically received. Prof. Packman accompanied them on the piano. Miss Ruhoff also gave several instrumental numbers. Refreshments were then served and the guests enjoyed a pleasant hour of social converse with friends. The entertainment was under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary.

DINNERS.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Colman entertained at a dinner at the Country club. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames N. D. Allen, W. W. Cargill, S. Y. Hyde, J. S. Medary, W. L. Osborne, T. H. Spence, John Paul, Mesdames Van Steenwyk, W. R. Sill, G. C. Hixon, Miss Katherine McDonald and G. M. Woodward.

Thursday evening Miss Nannie Funk entertained a number of young people at dinner in honor of her birthday. The guests were seated at two tables handsomely decorated with flowers of the season. The guests were Miss Lucile Anderson of Red Oak, Ia., Miss Margaret Burns of Plymouth, Miss N. H. Ruth McCracken of Muskegon, Mich., the Misses Abbey Coren, Viola Doerflinger, Helen Norbeck, Olga Candrian, Ruth and

Grace Heath, Emma and Louise Gund, Messrs. Will Rossitor, George Garrett, Robert Gordon, Mathias Hosley, Parmle Smith, Samuel Hyde, Jr., Giles Doud and Charles Sutor.

FIVE O'CLOCK TEA.

Friday Mrs. Harvey Derr of the north side entertained about sixty of her old time friends and neighbors at a pleasant tea. It was in honor of her birthday and she was the recipient of many pretty little gifts. The rooms were daintily decorated with wild roses and ferns. The guests were Mesdames Henry Faville, E. R. Savage, Mary Watson, David Austin, DeLapp, Van Anken, Howard, Cordell, A. G. Derr, W. R. Montague, Silvia Kely, A. J. Winters, John Rouf, Church, Adams, Congdon, Marriner, Dorsey, Burnham, Ray, Post, Pitkin, Lockman, Ezra Lockman, Lawrence, James Langdon, Shimmings, Meister, Bantam, J. W. Bryant, Pettigill, Fruit, Campbell, G. R. Montague, L. A. Nelson, Gilfillan, W. W. Jones, were also present upon the occasion. Misses Maud Pettigill, Bertha Lawrence, Louise Pitkin, Callie Lockman, Mrs. Heegaard and Mrs. McCall of Mason City and Mrs. Robinson of Preston. Five of her grandchildren used. In the library pink peonies were

CLUBS.

The Daughters of the American Revolution were entertained Monday by Mrs. George W. Burton. It was an unusually pleasant session. There was a delightful program consisting of music, vocal and instrumental selection. Mrs. Lowe sang several numbers, Mrs. Bunge and Mrs. Howard Stryker gave several instrumental numbers, Mr. Burton played a number of selections on the piano and Mrs. George Scott read an interesting story of the revolution. Mrs. Burton who has a number of valuable heirlooms kindly placed them on exhibition. Among them is a silver tea set which she recently came into possession of and which originally belonged to Gen. Gates of revolutionary fame. Light refreshments were served. The Embroidery club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herman Pammel Wednesday afternoon.

GUENTHER-GRIFFIN.

The wedding of Miss Kitty Guenther and I. S. Griffin of Viroqua will take place Tuesday at high noon at the parsonage of the German Reform church, the Rev. Ebbinger officiating. Miss Della Guenther, sister of the bride, will be maid of honor, and Joseph Blumentritt of New Hartford will be best man. Ruth Guenther and Gladys Blumentritt will be flower girls. After the ceremony the bridal party and a few friends will be served a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride on South Fourth street. The bride and groom will go to Chicago and Milwaukee for a few days before going to their home at Viroqua. Mr. Griffin is the editor of the Viroqua Republican. He also practiced law in that city fourteen years. Miss Guenther is one of the popular young women of this city and her many friends regret her removal.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Cards have been received in the city announcing the marriage of Miss May Haven of Faribault, Minn., to Mr. Andrew Baldwin Eddy, of Providence, R. I. Mrs. Eddy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Haven, old residents of this city. Both Mr. and Mrs. Haven were attendants at the old Third ward school in the early days. Mrs. Haven was before her marriage Miss Mary Meeker, her parents being pioneers of this city. Mr. Haven is the editor of the Faribault Democrat. Both he and his wife visit here at rare intervals, but they always find a cordial welcome from the old friends that are left.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Adolph Youngberg had a pleasant birthday party Thursday in honor of his eleventh birthday. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Clemens, Alice Clemens, Mamie Lawson, Isabella Grigg, Vernie Warringer, Margaret Tausche, Helen McCall, Margarie Lytle, Marie Waters, Mildred Waters, Edwin Schwalbe, Sherwood Wing, Arthur Bedessen, Ralph Kndley, Geo. and Harold Youngberg and Miss Jennie Outman. They enjoyed a pleasant afternoon playing games of many kinds. The little host was presented with a number of pretty gifts.

EVENING COMPANY.

Last evening Miss Etta Willis entertained a few friends at cards in honor of Miss Russel of Edinburgh, Scotland, who is the guest of Mrs. John Hogan. The prizes were taken by Miss Georgie Meason and Miss Edna Walker. Those present were Miss Russell, Mrs. John Hogan, Mrs. R. C. Odell, the Misses Susanna Cramer, Anna and Margaret Beisel, Minnie and Edna Walker, Gertrude Heydon, Georgie Meason, Maud Pettigill and Mary Chapman.

AFTERNOON COFFEE.

Mrs. Anne Legler entertained about twenty of her friends Monday afternoon at a pleasant coffee.

Mrs. W. W. Schall entertained a
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Ladies' extra quality black lace hosiery, 19, 25, 30 and..... **50c**

Ladies' fine black and white drop stitch hose, 35 cents, 3 pair for..... **\$1.00**

Ladies' black lace hose, 25 cent values, this sale, 2 pair for..... **30c**

Men's Hose, tan, black, fancy mixtures, 3 pair for..... **25c**

Children's black ribbed hose, extra values, 3 pair for..... **25c**

Special fine values in ladies' vests, worth 15c sale price..... **10c**

Ladies' fine white and colored umbrella drawers, 13, 25, 30..... **50c**

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Best calico in basement—Our basement bargain for— **39 cents.**

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Extra quality Crash Toweling, in our basement, at— **59 cents.**

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Bleached Muslin in our basement—bargain for— **59 cents.**

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Table Oil Cloth—in basement, two yards for— **25 cents.**

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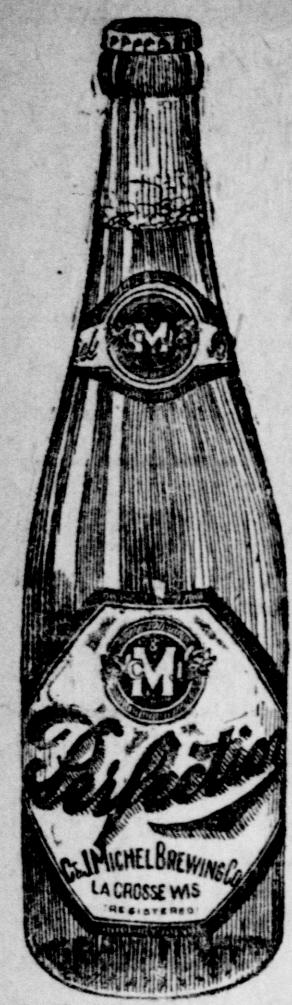
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EXPLAINING.

A great many people have a great deal of trouble explaining all about the Tribune. That is, at least as many as two people who run rival papers have this trouble, and they think they are a good many.

Just now they are busy explaining how the Tribune is to do the county printing "fer nothin'," and that is another sad story. The Tribune may do this printing for no other consideration than the knowledge that it has saved the county taxpayers from a graft on the part of certain conspirators. It all depends upon what the court says, and the matter is now under advisement. If we are to do next year's county printing without pay, we have done last year's county printing without pay. We entered a fair bid,

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CRITICISMS AND ORGANS.

It is an easy thing for a newspaper to sit back and adversely criticize the action of a city council, especially when it religiously refrains from knowing what it is talking about.

Nobody cares in particular what the Morning Organ says, any more than they cared what the "Devil Dodger" said, and therefore to take up the cudgel is a waste of time. However, it is a happy thought that an organ that has no purpose beside serving the corporations that are its masters can find diversion in this way between times without doing anybody any harm. By the way, the organ hasn't made a political flop since the day before election.

N. B.—Permit us to apologize to Mr. Gelatt for having referred to the morning paper as "The Organ." We realize the injustice of this, and desire to say that there is no Organ but the Evening Organ, and to amend our foregoing remarks to read, "The Morning Organette."

SOCIETY

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few friends at her home in Onalaska in honor of Mrs. Malcolm Sutherland of Addington, I. D., who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. F. E. Nichols. Those present were Mesdames Aldrich, Aiken, Millbright, F. E. Nichols, Gedney, Newell, Knutesen and Mrs. H. S. Burroughs.

PORCH PARTY.

Mrs. E. L. Spicer pleasantly entertained a number of friends at a porch party. The commodious porch was prettily decorated with roses and penies. The guests were Mesdames David Austin, L. J. Sawyer, S. H. Russell, Mary Eaton, Alex Hyslop, George Shadbolt, Miss Barbara Russell and Miss Alice Wheeler.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. W. Skinner returned the first of the week from Joplin, Mo., where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Clara Titus of Circleville, O., is the guest of Mrs. T. P. Benton.

Mrs. Alice H. Vought went to Minneapolis and Mankato this week upon a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Osborne will leave next week for a trip through England, Ireland and Scotland. They will sail from New York June 24th and will be absent three months.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Clinton who are the guests of Mr. Clinton's brother, George Clinton, in Texas, write that they are having a delightful time. They are on a twelve hundred acre ranch within a few miles of Crockett, thirty-six hours from Chicago. They expect to be at home in time to celebrate the Fourth.

Mrs. Pelton of Waupaca was the guest of Mrs. David Drummond during the medical convention.

Dr. and Mrs. Andler of Pittsfield, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cone.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davis left this week for a trip to the coast. They will visit the exposition at Portland before they return.

Miss Margaret Marston went to Dubuque this week to attend the commencement exercises at Mt. St. Joseph.

Mrs. George Thurber and son, Philip, will leave next week for Hasting, Minn., where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Traer and family arrived in the city this week and have taken up their summer quarters at their farm.

Russell James returned this week from a trip to the Lewis & Clark exposition and has resumed his position at the bank.

Miss Dorothy Usher has gone to Milwaukee to visit friends.

Charles Tarbox returned Thursday from Madison where he has been attending the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neuman of Duluth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hirschheimer. Mr. Neuman is one of the La Crosse boys and is the son of Mr. Neuman of the fire of Neuman and Cantrovitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell of Cincinnati are visiting relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Berger have moved in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Egbert, on North Seventh street.

The Misses Grace and Ruth Heath are entertaining Miss Margaret Burns of Plymouth, N. H.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brayton, a son.

The Vought-Berger Co. team will play ball at Arcadia tomorrow. The batteries are, pitchers, Fleece and Nutting for the local team, and Olson and Green for the Arcadia team. The catchers are Squires and Krumholz respectively.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

Wanted—Linen girls at the Stoddard.

REV. FAVILLE LEAVES FOR EUROPE JULY 22

Rev. Henry Faville and his son, Theodore, who has accepted a position as teacher of Latin and History at Robert college, Constantinople, will leave for Europe July 22. They will make a tour of the continent and Rev. Faville will be away several months. Theodore Faville will accompany him on his tour, and will take up his work at Constantinople in September.

REMARKABLE MURDER CASE

Reading, Pa., June 17.—Samuel Greason, colored, has been acquitted of the murder of John Edwards. Mrs. Kate Edwards, wife of the murdered man, whose testimony convicted Greason over three years ago, completely exonerated him. Edwards was murdered nearly four years ago, and Greason was arrested several months later. His death warrant was issued ten times and his case developed into one of the most remarkable murder trials in this state.

Mrs. Edwards, mother of Greason's child, is under sentence of death and it is expected that the governor will fix the date for her execution within a short time. It was postponed several months ago so that she could be used as a witness at Greason's trial.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

Butchers Mor Children and Suiicides.
Dubuque, Ia., June 17.—Mrs. Paul Klass killed her four small children and committed suicide at her home near Kieler, Wis., eight miles east of Dubuque. The woman used a large butcher knife, cutting the children's throats. The eldest child was 6 years old and the youngest a baby. The woman had been in ill health.

Those Machines Are Tabled.
Pontiac, Mich., June 17.—Prosecutor Covert and Sheriff Greer discovered that twenty nickel-in-the-slot machines had been shipped here for use during the street fair and were being set up in various saloons. They at once issued orders that any machine found doing business would be confiscated and the machines are idle.

Triple Hanging in Alabama.
Decatur, Ala., June 17.—Harvey Smith, John Collier and Will Jackson, colored, were hanged in the jail yard here. Troops were present as a precautionary measure, but there was no disorder. Two thousand people surrounded the jail during the execution.

Bronze Tablet of Lincoln Dedicated.
Decatur, Ill., June 17.—Decatur chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, dedicated a handsome bronze tablet, marking the site of Abraham Lincoln's former home on the Scroggins farm, eight miles southwest of this city. Many people witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Rth McCracken is the guest of Miss Abby Coren.

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LA CROSSE LOST GAME, BUT STILL LEADS LEAGUE

Although La Crosse lost her game, of yesterday with Freeport she still maintains her old position at the head of the state baseball league.

The standing of the teams is as follows:

	W.	L.	P.C.
La Crosse	18	11	.621
Freeport	20	14	.588
Wausau	19	15	.554
Oshkosh	16	14	.533
Beloit	15	18	.455
Green Bay	9	25	.265

Yesterday's game at Freeport was one of the most interesting games of the season. The game was a pitchers' battle from start to finish in which both of the men had excellent support. Twice the score was tied and but for

TRANSFER PICTURE GRAFTER GETS \$500 OF WOMEN'S MONEY

La Crosse housewives have again been taken in by a clever grafter. A man claiming to be the agent for the International Novelty company who had offices at 108 South Eighth street, has just left the city after a very prosperous season here.

He has departed with a patent fluid which he sold and his customers each of whom he made subagent, are anxiously looking for him. To each subagent he sold \$5.00 worth of the chemical. The outfit consisted of a piece of glass and transfer fluid, and could be used for transferring pictures to cloth. By means of the fluid the picture was first transferred to the glass, and thence to the cloth.

Yesterday the police were notified

by a number of his victims that the fluid for which they had paid \$5 failed to "work." The man however has disappeared, and with him about \$500 of La Crosse money.

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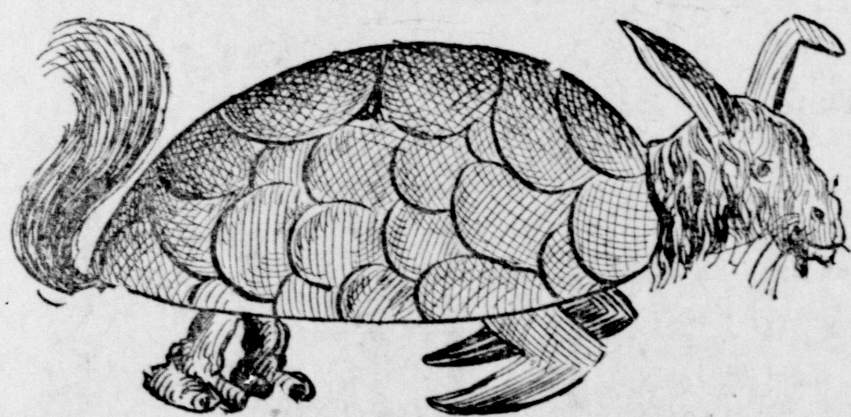
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LOADS OF SHELLS FOUND UNDER BUILDING

PROBABLY ONCE THE RIVER BED

While workmen were excavating yesterday in the basement of the Tribune building, preparatory to building the stone foundation for the Tribune's new three-color press, large quantities of clam shells were discovered in a strata of sand at what would be a depth of 15 feet from the street level. The shells were in a thick layer and evidently extend in all directions for an unknown distance. Most of the clams were unopened, showing that at some time they were left there in what was once the bed of the river.

The discovery is regarded as a remarkable one, as the possibility that the spot now occupied by the Tribune building was at one time the bed of the river antedates any local history. However, it is possible that such was the case a hundred or more years ago.

TRACY BURKE GETS PLACE ON CREW

Tracy L. Burke, a La Crosse boy, will have the place of coxswain in the U. W. shell when the Badgers go east to compete in the Poukeepsie race.

The crew will represent Wisconsin in the race of June 28 will be composed of the following men:

Lea, stroke; Capt. Arthur Miller of West Salem, 7; Ryder, 6; D. Miller, 5; Davis, 4; Van Meter, 3; Johnson, of West Salem, 2; Burling, bow; with Burke as coxswain. The old men in the boat are Capt. Miller, Van Meter, Burling and Davis, while Lea stroked last year's freshmen. Gay Johnson stroked the freshmen crew in '06 and subbed last year, while Ryder and D. Miller were on the freshmen crew last year.

The four will be: Hine at bow, Boyle at 2, Wilder at 3, and Reed stroke. The latter rowed in the same position in the four last year, and Wilder is a freshman getting 'varsity honors in his first year.

The men will leave Wednesday morning for the east, which will allow five days on the water. No subs will be taken, but in case anything happens men will be used from the four oared, and that crew will be kept out of the race.

Police are After the Cannon Cracker Fiends

Copies of the new ordinance regulating the size of fire and cannon crackers were distributed to the several dealers in fireworks by the police department yesterday and the announcement has been given out that the ordinance will be enforced to the letter and any failure to comply will be punishable by a fine of from \$5 to \$50 or by 20 days' imprisonment in the county jail.

The use of dynamite, or chlorate of potash, or other dangerous explosives is prohibited, and every effort will be made to prevent their sale.

Arrests will also be made this year of any one guilty of the premature discharge of fireworks.

Tramp Falls From Train and is In- jured

James McClelland, a tramp said to live at Minneapolis, was injured by falling from a freight train on which he was stealing a ride near Dakota yesterday.

The man had a shoulder dislocated and an elbow broken. He was found lying by the track by a freight crew and was taken to Winona where he is now at the hospital.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT PROVES A BIG suc- CESS

The Liszt Quartette at its first appearance last evening made a decided hit.

The musicale was held last evening at the home of Mrs. William S. Carroll, for the benefit of the "Whatsoever" club of the First Presbyterian church.

The affair was under the management of Mrs. Rose Manning-Morphy who arranged the program, and she as soloist and also as a member of the quartette, assisted materially in the success of the entertainment.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

CITY NEWS

Read Reitzel's ad on page 3. Have Colby do your wiring.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

The big closing out sale at Anderson's is still going on.

Strawberries for canning cheap at Harris Bros., 421 Jay street.

Do not forget that the Bijou presents a Sunday matinee at 2:30.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

You can buy shoes at your own price at Anderson's closing out sale.

John Soffa who recently started a barber shop at 618 Mill street, is back attending to business again after spending four weeks at the St. Francis hospital where he was operated upon for appendicitis. He will be pleased to meet all of his old customers and cordially solicits new ones.

If you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, sour stomach, or any other pain, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well and keep you well. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Ask your druggist.

Large electric fans and perfect ventilation, drawing in the cool refreshing air, makes the Bijou vaudeville theatre the coolest place in the city.

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Afternoon excursion to Winona on large steamer J. S. Sunday, June 18, leave La Crosse at 2:30 p. m., arrive at Winona at 5:30 p. m. Leave Winona at 7 p. m. and arrive at La Crosse at 10 p. m. For only 50 cents for round trip. Music by J. S. orchestra. Pleasant trip. Don't miss it.

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Do not forget that you can spend a pleasant hour at the Bijou theatre this evening, performance begin at 8 and 9:15 o'clock.

Mrs. H. M. Cronk of West Salem is prepared for those wishing to spend a short vacation in the country. Telephone connections, Reference, Dr. J. K. Fowler.

Will Discuss a Plan for New Causeway

A special meeting of the Roads and Bridges committee of the board of trade has been called for this evening at the La Crosse club where the members will meet G. S. Andrus of the La Crosse Rubber Mills company, President R. B. Gelatt of the board of trade, and President W. B. Tschanner of the Progressive association for the purpose of taking up the project of a new causeway to the north side. The matter will be discussed fully and plans will be suggested for carrying it out.

Calvert Must Inspect All Excursion Boats

Surveyor of Customs Robert Calvert has been notified to make a careful inspection and watch carefully all vessels carrying excursions out of La Crosse, so as to avoid any danger of accident. Mr. Calvert has the superintendence of all river craft from Lansing, Ia., to Lake Pepin.

The surveyor yesterday inspected the steamer J. S. which appeared here for the first time and pronounced the vessel in first class shape.

A special clause in the order says that the surveyor shall make special effort to prevent the over crowding of vessels, and shall directly report all violations of the law.

Faster Time to Denver.

Via the North-Western Line. Under the new schedule of the Union Pacific R. R., effective Sunday, May 28th, there is a shortening of a half hour in the westbound schedule of the "Colorado Special," which now arrives Denver 9:30 p. m. instead of 10:00 p. m., as formerly.

Eastbound No. 12 leaves Denver 4:35 p. m. instead of 4:20 p. m., fifteen minutes later than heretofore.

There will be no change in the leaving time of these trains, nor of trains Nos. 3 and 6 on the line of the Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Very Low Rates to Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold on June 17, 18 and 19, with favorable return limits, on account of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

LIEUT. SHUMAN IS OFF FOR HON- OLULU

A letter received from Mrs. J. Brook Shuman yesterday states that Lieutenant Shuman and wife leave June 28 for Honolulu. Lieut. Shuman has been stationed at San Francisco for some time, but expects to be stationed in Honolulu for some time. He is accompanied by Mrs. Shuman.

The letter asks that the Tribune be forwarded to Honolulu and expresses appreciation of the quality of the paper and the interest it conveys to both Lieutenant and Mrs. Shuman.

COLUMBIA IN EX- CURSION BUSI- NESS

Owing to the large number of excursions being offered to the steamer Columbia it has been decided to withdraw the boat from the La Crosse and Wabasha packet trade and to do excursion work exclusively.

Local Forester Team Goes to Milwaukee

The La Crosse team of Woodmen Forester, headed by Chief Forester F. H. Folger, will leave for Milwaukee this evening to attend the national head meeting. The team is composed of the following:

Prof. F. H. Fowler, chief forester; F. J. Herlitcke, Louis Zenker, Ernest Meier, J. M. Bradley, Chis Johnson, O. T. Klix, George Carpenter, Joseph Zenker, W. S. Peck, Lamont Thompson, C. L. Christen, L. C. Mix, J. C. Niedbalski, Ole Arneson.

Other delegations of Woodmen will go to Milwaukee next week.

CARD OF THANKS.

We, the undersigned, desire to extend our sincere thanks to our friends, neighbors and relatives for their sympathy during our late bereavement, the loss of our beloved father, Herman Burrand. Especially do we desire to thank Rev. B. Graf of the German Baptist church, for his kindness and words of comfort; also the Third Ward Aid and the Beer Bottlers' union for flowers and aid rendered.

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LORDS OF CREATION LESS THAN TWO FEET TALL

Were he alive today General Tom Thumb would appear a giant beside the troupe of diminutive people, men and women, that are exhibited this year with the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth. They are so light in weight as to permit of two of them being carried, like dolls, by any ordinary sized child. A gentleman's high hat may be used to completely hide them from view, in fact they are so small that they cannot be compared to any other human beings. Two of this group can be pictured together life size on a single page of a newspaper. Now a page is but twenty to twenty-two inches long and when the life sized pictures of two human beings can be printed thereon their littleness can fairly well be imagined. All the members of this extraordinary group are perfectly formed human beings and just as intellectual as other people, in fact they are far above the average in intelligence, speaking and writing fluently four languages. Besides they are cultivated musicians and vocalists, and to their acquirements must be added histrionic abilities of a high order for they are also actors and comedians. The Torvath mid-gets, as they are styled, are all bright, vivacious sprightly little ladies and gentlemen whom it is charming and delightful to meet and converse with. They are petted and caressed by all the children and lady visitors to the show. As living curiosities it is safe to say they never have been equalled and so fascinatingly microscopic and homeopathic in their proportion as to resemble for all the world animated toys. The young gentlemen of the group are inveterate smokers of cigarettes, and oh! horrors, occasionally

indulge in a glass of wine or beer, though never to excess. These lords and ladies of creation are but twenty inches high, but in all respects save that of stature are perfect specimens of humanity. Just before the regular performances begin in the big tent these Lilliputians entertain the visitors with songs, dances and recitations punctuated at times with imitations of famous actors and actresses, offering the spectators much amusement by their versatile and interesting exhibition. In the same ten—the menagerie pavilion—there is a troupe of Scandinavian male and female artists. These people exhibit all the peasant dances of the various countries of Europe as well as those of most of the Gypsy tribes and their costumes are those of all nations. They also perform in all sorts of quaint, curious and odd musical instruments. It is marvelous to hear them extract sweet harmonies from such queer articles as glasses, bottles and nails, besides French horns xylophones, concertinas, violins and other instruments. The giant, an eight-foot colossus, is here also, while the whole of this entertainment is given before the regular performances begin without any extra charge whatever. The show will arrive here on July 5.

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CHURCHES

Christ Episcopal church, Main and Ninth streets. Sunday services at 8 and 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. People are invited.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Services at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Christian Science." Reading room 425 Main street, suite 6.

St. Paul Universalist church, Eighth and Cass street, Rev. J. S. Low, pastor. At 10:30 a. m. the annual children's service will be held. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Regular preaching service at 7:30 p. m.

The men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at four o'clock will be addressed by Rev. W. J. Turner of the north side Presbyterian church. All men are most cordially invited to come and hear him.

First Baptist church on Sixth street, between Main and King streets, Rev. John Wellington Hoag, minister. Morning preaching service, 10:30; bible school, 11:45; Colton branch, 3:00; Young People's meeting, 6:30; evening preaching service, 7:30. The pastor will speak both morning and evening.

First Spiritualist Church, South Fourth street, between Cass and Cameron avenue. Services 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. The pastor will conduct a psychic class and give messages at the morning service. Subject of the evening address, "Fads." Everyone welcome. Rev. Catherine McFarlin, pastor.

German M. E. church, corner Seventh and Ferry, J. L. Panzau, pastor.

Sunday school, 9:15 in the morning. Sermon, 10:30. Holy communion will follow the preaching of the sermon. Epworth league, 7:00 in the evening. Preaching, 7:45. Rev. L. J. Brenner, presiding elder, will occupy the pulpit both in the morning and evening.

West Avenue M. E. church, Rev. Henry Goodsell, pastor. Morning service, 10:30; evening, 7:45. Rev. G. D. Witherby of Galesville, a student of Boston Theological school, will fill the pulpit morning and evening. Sunday school at 12 m.; Epworth league, 6:45 p. m. Subject, "Minor Responsibilities." Miss Maud Pomeroy, leader.

First Presbyterian church, King and Sixth streets. Rev. J. K. Fowler, pastor. Morning sermon, "Changeless Love." Evening address, "La Crosse, Beautiful and the Uses of Beauty," a practical address appealing to city pride. Sunday school at 12 m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30, Westminster chapel at 2:30, Grace chapel and children's day exercises at 3 p. m.

First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets. Henry Faville, pastor. Usual services 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Forsaken and Found." Sunday school at noon. Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m. No evening service. The congregation is invited to join in the services for the graduating class of the high school at the First M. E. church.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner King and South Eighth streets. Rev. W. H. Vance, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the morning special children's day services with music by a choir of young ladies and a sermon to the children by the pastor. In the evening the pastor will preach the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the high

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PRESIDENT MAKES WAR ON RED TAPE IN WASHINGTON

BETTER METHODS ARE DEMANDED IN GOVERNMENT WORK

Committee to Eliminate the Bureaucrat From System

Washington, June 17.—The president has appointed a committee of five to report to him on improved methods of doing the public business in the various bureaus and departments. The scope and character of the work expected of the committee is indicated in the following letter addressed to Charles H. Keep, assistant secretary of the treasury, by President Roosevelt: "You are hereby designated as chairman of a committee, to consist in addition to yourself of the following four gentlemen: Frank H. Hitchcock, first assistant postmaster general; Lawrence O. Murray, assistant secretary of commerce and labor; James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, and Gifford Pinchot, forester, department of agriculture, who are to investigate and find out what changes are needed to place the conduct of the executive business of the government in all its branches on the most economical and effective basis in the light of the best modern business practice.

Suggestions the President Makes.
"In making this investigation I would like you to have in view the securing of an improvement in business methods." Among other suggestions for the improvement proposed, made by the president are the following: Salaries should be commensurate and uniform in all departments for the same service; government supplies should be standardized; fiscal regulations should be uniform, and as few and simple as possible; the existence of any method, standard, custom or practice is no reason for its continuance when a better is offered; standards of maximum cost should be established.

He Hits the Bureaucrat.
The president then says: "A resolute effort should be made to secure brevity in correspondence and the elimination of useless letter-writing. There is a type of bureaucrat who believes that his entire work, and that the entire work of the government, should be the collecting of papers in reference to a case, commenting with eager minuteness on each, and corresponding with other officials in reference thereto. These people really care nothing for the case, but only for the documents in the case."

TOO MUCH LETTER WRITING
Take Up Time That Should Be Devoted to Other Papers.

On the subject of letter writing the president says: "In all branches of the government there is a tendency greatly to increase unnecessarily and largely perfunctory letter writing. In the army and navy the increase of paper work is a serious menace to the efficiency of fighting officers, who are often required by bureaucrats to spend time in making reports which they should spend in increasing the efficiency of the fighting forces."

DR. TURBIN

Of Berlin, Germany, the Expert Specialist and Surgeon Has visited La Crosse for the past fourteen years once a month, will again be in La Crosse, Monday, June 19th, at Hotel La Crosse, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M. and fourth Monday thereafter. Consultation and Examination Free.



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of the battleships or regiments under them. As regards this matter you will please confer with the assistant secretaries of the war and navy departments, and request them to submit to me a scheme for doing away with the evils referred to. In the civil departments the abuse of letter writing amounts not merely to the waste of time of the government servant responsible for it, but also to the impeding of public business. Please consider also the matter of enforcing accountability for property."

It is officially pointed out that the committee's work is not to discover irregularities or to criticize the business of any office or individual, but to examine business methods as outlined. In connection with the prospective work of the committee Secretary Shaw announced two quite radical changes in methods of making disbursements. Disbursing officers are required to make requisitions for the amount of money needed to cover semi-monthly payments. In practice they nearly always ask an amount some what in excess, but the secretary has directed the treasurer hereafter to require the pay rolls to be presented and to refuse payment whenever the check calls for an amount in excess of the pay roll.

He also has ordered all salary payments in the treasury department and the department of commerce and labor, except in a few stated cases, to be made by disbursing officers' checks instead of cash.

War Turtle Turns up With Designs Carved on Back

Aurora, Ill., June 17.—D. C. Lee, of Detroit, was in Aurora on his way to Chicago from DeKalb, where he had been visiting. Lee is a well known business man of Detroit and is a leader in Grand Army circles of that city. In 1865 Lee was with the Union army at Gettysburg, Pa., eleven miles south of Gettysburg. He was a member of Company B, of the United States engineering corps. One day he picked up a common land turtle and on the hard shell back he carved the United States flag, a castle, which was the insignia of his regiment, and the year.

Four weeks ago Captain H. H. Mertz, of Gettysburg, picked up a live turtle which had on its back the United States flag, the castle and Lee's name, together with the year. The story was sent to a New York newspaper by the correspondent at Hanover, Pa. It was read by Isaac H. Rider, of Brooklyn, a member of Lee's regiment, and he remembered the circumstances at once. He found out where Lee was and wrote to him, and Lee wrote to Captain Mertz. The letter immediately replied that if Lee could prove his identity the live turtle would be shipped to him at once. Lee expects to have the turtle sent him at Detroit, and he will take it to army reunions as a relic of the fighting days.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

COUNCIL VOTES PAYMENT OF \$8,000 TO LA CROSSE STONE CO.

The city council at the meeting last night voted the payment of the \$8,000 in the special street improvement fund to the La Crosse Stone company, in payment for the estimate on the work on South Fourth street which will be finished today. This action almost depletes the special street improvement fund.

The city will pay all of the claims of the La Crosse Stone company as fast as the work is completed, with the exception of 15 per cent which will be held back until the work is inspected and accepted.

The property owners not having paid the money assessed to the properties and the bonds for the remaining assessment not having been sold the city has no more money with which to pursue the paving work until some of this is received. The original estimate of the Stone company presented several weeks ago amounted to \$10,000 but the comptroller did not audit it as there was not that much money on hand. It was signed by him last evening just before the meeting, however, and the money was voted without hesitation by the oldermen.

The La Crosse Stone company

claims that the company is expending \$1,500 per day on the work and the receipt of this money will greatly hasten the work.

When the resolution to extend the city's water mains to the plant of the Wisconsin Light & Power company on the north side was brought up, Alderman Valentine saw a chance to get in another complaint from his constituents on the north side. He claimed that he and his constituents have been working for eight years for an extension on Caledonia street but could not get it, while the council always rushed extensions to these corporations.

A few sympathetic remarks were made by other members of the council and the matter was then passed by a unanimous vote.

The board of public works intends to enforce all penalties in connection with the contract for the new La Crosse High school. In communication to the council the board asked permission to cut the penalty for non-completion from \$500 to \$100 per day.

A resolution was referred for a water extension west on Logan street from Caledonia. Adjournment was then taken until Monday.

Local Markets

CHEESE.
(By Henry Andregg.)
Brick13 1/4
Twins12 1/4
Swiss block15
Round Swiss16
Long horn15
Young American15
German hand cheese per box90
American full cream14 1/2
Limburger14

WOOL.
(By La Crosse Wool & Fur Co.)
Medium wool28@30

FRUITS.
(By John C. Burns.)
Cranberries, 100 qt. bbl\$4.00
Lemons, 300 California, per box. 2.50
Bananas, per bunch1.75@2.50
Messinos80c
Figs, California, per box80c
Lettuce, per case40c
Tomatoes, per case2.50
Radishes, bunch3c
Strawberries, 18 qts75c
Pineapples, 18 to 36 crate3.00
Cabbage, old, per bbl1.50
Onions, red and yellow, per bu.1.25
Parsnips, per bbl1.50
Beets, peck50c
Potatoes, bushel30c
Carrots, bunch5c
Potatoes, new, per peck50c
Dates, new, per lb.2.50
Cider, 16 gal.2.50
Oranges, California navel, per box2.75@3.50

FARM PRODUCE.
(By Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter22c
Dairy butter15c
Packing stock13 1/4
Eggs14c
Full cream brick cheese11c
Full cream Twins12c
Full cream limburger12 1/2c
Full cream Swiss cheese14 1/2c
Full cream long horn12c
Young American12c
German hand cheese, per box90c

WHOLESALE GRAIN.
(By R. C. Wallace.)

New barley36@40
Wheat80@90
Corn40@47
Rye60@63
Oats27@29

PROVISIONS.

Bacon10 1/2@11
Dried beef hams14 1/4@15 1/4
Hams10@11
Picnic hams7c
Sides7@7 1/2
Lard8@8 1/2
Mess Pork13.75
Barrell pork short cuts13.75
Back pork15.25
Clear back13.75

WOOD.
Hard maple, 4 feet, dry4.75
Green4.50
Pine2.00@2.50

POULTRY.

Live chickens8@9
Spring chickens, each25@30
Live ducks9c
Live geese8c

FEED STUFF.
(By John Gund Brg. Co.)

Superior quality dried grains, ton lots16.00
Malt sprouts, ton lots15.00
LIVESTOCK.
Cows2.50@3.00
Dressed calves4.00@6.00

THE TRIBUNE WANT COLUMN

Advertisements under these headings, one cent a word each insertion.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—A cook and girl at Northwestern Hotel, 319 Vine St.

WANTED—Ten girls at Tisch Bros' cigar box factory.

WANTED—Laundry girls at Reliable Laundry.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fine family horse, gentle and sound, and 2-seated survey with canopy top, as good as new; also light road wagon and 2 set of single harness; splendid outfit at a bargain. Enquire at 619 South Ninth street.

FOR SALE—Ice chest, 2 electric fans, 2 wall cases, lunch counters, dozen kitchen chairs, punching bag, set boxing gloves, slot machine, 2 rifles, pool table, light wagon. Albert Roberge, corner Caledonia and St. Paul streets.

FOR SALE—Five acres of land with house and barn in town of Shelby on Losey Blvd., on Ferry street. Inquire of Peter Lehman, 1222 S. 6th.

FOR SALE—17-foot launch, 2-horse power, \$85.00, 227 South Eighth street.

FOR SALE—One good double wagon. Apply 721 S. Fourth street, city.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile runabout. Enquire 510, Main street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Modern; desirable location. Address, X. A., care Tribune.

HELP WANTED—BOYS & GIRLS

WANTED—Boys and girls in bottling department. John Gund Brewing Co.

FINANCIAL.

MONEY TO LOAN—Diamonds, watches, etc. Stevens, 510 Main street.

LOANS made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 322 Main Street, up stairs.

ARCHITECT.

WELLS E. BENNETT Architect
Room 12, Batavian Bank Building

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Return within 90 days.

Via direct route one way, and going or returning via Portland, the Lewis and Clark Exposition and the Great Northwest.

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Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Scranton Anthracite.
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Prompt Service.

Phone 272—Yard and Office 217 Cass St.

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LOOK BEST AND WEAR LONGEST

J. H. LIGHTBODY
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Farms and wild lands a specialty.
City property bought, sold and rented.
325 Main street.
Old Telephone 756 La Crosse, Wis.

RYAN & TOBIN
TRANSFER LINE.
Carriages, City Day Line Old Phone 120. Hack Stand—Henry & Frank's Restaurant. Phone orders receive prompt attention.
Hard Wood For Sale.

FLATS TO RENT.
City Heat, Electric Light, all modern improvements. From 20 dollars per month and up to \$35.00.

McMillan Bldg. Room 223

J. B. MURRAY
Staple and Fancy Groceries
Everything good to eat and at prices that are down to date.
1001 La Crosse St. La Crosse Wis.

ELECTRICAL Machinery Supplies Construction.
BENTON Phone 173
299 S. Front St.

Railroad Time Tables

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY.
In Effect May 15th, 1904

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night	8:30 a. m.
	12:19 noon	8:09 a. m.
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	8:30 a. m.	12:15 night
	8:09 a. m.	12:19 noon

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	8:05 a. m. 12:40 p. m. 1:10 p. m. 12:40 a. m.	8:10 a. m. 7:05 a. m. 10:55 a. m. 5:20 p. m.
Dubuque, Rock Island, Omaha and West	a 12:01 p. m. a 3:40 p. m.	a 11:30 a. m. a 4:45 p. m.
Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:40 a. m. e 7:20 p. m.	a 11:20 p. m. a 3:45 p. m.

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; e, daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 7:50 a. m. a 12:45 p. m. b 10:40 p. m.	b 5:30 a. m. a 12:20 p. m. a 5:30 p. m.
Trempealeau, Graceland, Winona, Owatonna and West	a 5:30 a. m. a 12:20 p. m. b 5:30 p. m.	a 7:50 a. m. a 12:45 p. m. b 10:40 p. m.

References: a, daily except Sunday, b, daily.

KEWAUNEE SHORT LINE

GREEN BAY & WESTERN RAILROAD	KEWAUNEE GREEN BAY & WESTERN R.R.
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St. Paul	
Minneapolis	
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In effect June 21, 1903.
Train leaves La Crosse 8:15 a. m. Connects at Marshland with train leaving Winona at 9:15 a. m. Arrives at Merrill 12:15 p. m., connecting closely with trains north and south on the Omaha road. Connects closely with Wisconsin Central trains at Amherst Junction and arrives at Greer Bay 6:15 p. m. Coming west: Leaves Green Bay 7:00 a. m., Amherst Junction 9:30, Stevens Point 9:25, Merrill 12:55 p. m., Marshland 3:20 p. m. Arrives at La Crosse 4:40 p. m.
A train leaves Merrill daily (except Sunday) at 7:40 a. m., arriving at Winona at 11:20 a. m. Leaves Winona at 5:20 p. m., arriving at Merrill 8:30 p. m.

Go to the Bijou tonight.

LA CROSSE SENT 16 HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS TO U. W.

Local Institution Ranks Fifth for the Current Year--Just Even With Sheboygan

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MADISON, Wis., June 17.—Some interesting statistics have been compiled in regard to the number of students entering the University from the various accredited schools of Wisconsin and the adjacent states. The compilation shows that there are thirty schools that sent five or more students to the University during the current year. Of these twenty-four are Wisconsin high schools, two academies in this state, three Illinois high schools, and one Iowa high school. The Madison High school heads the list with 58. The three Milwaukee schools together sent 72. La Crosse and Sheboygan rank next with 16 each. Of the academies the Wisconsin academy leads with 12, and St. John's academy follows with 9. Of state, Rockford, Ill., sent 7 students this year; Davenport, Ia., 6; Hyde Park, Ill., and Oak Park, Ill., each 5. The complete list is as follows:

Wisconsin Academy, Madison, 12.
Lake Geneva 11.
Fond du Lac 11.
St. John's Military Academy 9.
East Troy 8.
Chilton 8.
Superior 7.
Stoughton 7.
Rockford, Ill., 7.
Waupaca 7.
Berlin 6.
Rhinelander 6.
Oshkosh 6.
Dodgeville 6.
Eau Claire 6.
Davenport, Ia., 6.
Lancaster 6.
Hyde Park, Ill., 5.
Deerfield 5.
Oak Park, Ill., 5.
Marquette 5.
Sturgeon Bay 5.
Statistics covering the past ten years show that in that time La Crosse has sent a total of 32 high school students to the state university. In these statistics for ten years La Crosse stands in 10th place in the state.

The statistics compiled, however, show that there are now 42 La Crosse residents attending the university.

"CHINKS" MUST NOT DRILL IN THE UNITED STATES

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota may make an official investigation of the movement, in so far as it relates to Minnesota, among Chinamen, who, it is said, are being drilled and armed for service under the direction of Kang Yu Wei, former Chinese minister of war says the Pioneer Press.

Complaints that Chinamen are being drilled in violation of law were filed with the governor by a resident of St. Paul, whose name is withheld. The complainant says that Chinamen are being drilled in large cities in the United States by the former minister, and the natural inference from the complaint is that the movement is backed by the Chinese emperor.

The letter to the governor states that the Chinamen are drilled three times a week, and that Homer Lee, of Los Angeles, Cal., is at the head of the movement in America.

Gov. Johnson was not in the city yesterday, but it was stated at his office that the complaint will be investigated. It is not known whether the matter is one for state or federal action. In the event it is found that there is no state law prohibiting the arming of Chinamen, the matter will be referred to the United States district attorney for investigation.

It is said that a secret reform movement has been going on among the Chinamen in the United States for a year or more, and that it is this movement to which the government's complainant refers. It is reported that the Chinamen are being drilled for the most part by Americans, who are careful not to divulge the ultimate purpose of the movement.

It is vaguely hinted that the movement is backed by the Chinese emperor, who wishes to bring about certain reforms that are opposed by the dowager empress. To effect these reforms, it is said, the emperor deems that an armed force is necessary, and according to the rumor, he has chosen America as the field of operation.

Several residents of Minnesota have been offered official positions in this reform movement. A prominent politician in the western part of the state was offered a lieutenantancy, if he would agree to drill a certain number of Chinamen. Several St. Paul men have been offered positions as captain.

Although the principal object is to

drill Chinamen in the art of war, it is said that a good deal of attention is also paid to reform movements from a political and social point of view. In this sense, it is said, the order has an intellectual motive, and that is to qualify Chinamen for a hoped for change in the government of China.

Attorney General E. T. Young said that as far as he knew there is no state law which prohibits the drilling of Chinamen. If there were any such law, he thought it would be a federal regulation.

United States District Attorney Houtt could not be seen last night, but in the opinion of E. C. Stringer, former United States district attorney, the drilling of foreigners in the United States for the purpose of service in a foreign country is clearly against the policy; if not the statutes of the United States. Mr. Stringer referred to the movement twenty years ago among the Fenians in the northern part of the United States who were preparing for a contemplated invasion of Canada. At that time the secretary of war of the United States held that the movement was against the policy of the United States.

"There is no law prohibiting the drilling of foreigners in the United States," said Mr. Stringer. "Chinamen in this regard are on the same basis as all other citizens."

"Although I am not sure that there is a specific statute covering this point, I am of the opinion that the drilling and arming of persons in the United States for service in another country is clearly against the policy of the United States."

LANSING TEAM WALSLOPS REGULATORS OF LA CROSSE

The Lansing baseball team yesterday defeated the Regulators of La Crosse at the La Crosse street ball park by a score of 6 to 2. The game was characterized by errors, and the team work was distinctly ragged.

The batteries were—Lansing, Hastings and Smith; La Crosse, Wambo and Childers.

Eye Glass Logic

Every optician in town is ready to save you. But eye-sight is priceless. Right eye glasses are important. Will you place yourself in doubtful or incompetent hands? Best work here by

EVENSON

Reliable Optician.

Umbrellas.

We carry a magnificent line of Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas in colors and black and you may depend upon the prices being the lowest.

Men's fast black, gloria, splendid values at 50c, sale price.....35c

Men's fast black mercerized twill cover, steel rod and frame, regularly sold at \$1.00, sale price only.....75c

Ladies' fast black cotton, gloria cover, steel rod and frame, congo handle, silk cover, steel rod and wood handles, at.....49c

Ladies' fast black taffeta cover, with fancy border, fancy congo handle, with tassel, \$1.25 value, offered at.....89c

Hosiery.

We put on sale for Monday only, 25 dozen men's fancy socks, pretty stripes and jacquard effects, values up to.....30c

And a bargain at the original price Monday only we offer them.....15c

Ladies' fast black and seamless hosiery, white mace feet, 15c value, at.....10c

Underwear.

Men's ribbed and plain balbriggan also colored underwear regularly sold at 50 cents, is offered for Monday only, at.....39c

Men's balbriggan underwear, plain and fancy weaves, Monday's price.....49c

Men's union suits, hand tailored garments, 98c, \$1.50, \$2.00 and.....\$2.50

Shoes.

Monday we place on sale our great lot of Oxfords at a price that positively cannot be matched elsewhere.

Men's \$2.50 Velour Button, \$2.50 vici Blucher, Ladies' \$2.50 Russia tan, \$2.50 Chocolate Vici, your choice per pair.....

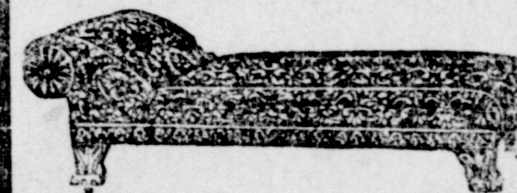
\$1.79

Furniture.



GOCARTS.

The celebrated "Wakefield" go-carts are being offered at great price reductions for next week. Our \$12.00 ones marked down, at.....\$7.00 Others proportionally as low priced



COUCHES.

A splendid line of Aerie Couches the only guaranteed couch on the market up from.....\$11.00



Most extraordinary price reductions on all bed room suits. Never was there a better opportunity than right now to save big money on your purchase.



FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS.

La Crosse's Economy Center.

These Bargains Prove It.

THE WAY to money saving on summer goods lies through the channel of the Park Store, for we make the lowest prices on merchandise that you need for yourself, family and home. Price lowering comes natural with us through our quantity buying power coupled with our vast outlet. Only best qualities answer here and we take justifiable pride in keeping all the promises we make.

Wash Goods Marked Down

Additional items to our continued Wash Goods Sale. These mentioned here alone ought to fill the department with eager purchasers, for, better offers of this kind have never been made.

50 pieces assorted satin stripe batiste lawn, double fold percales and fine challies, values regularly sold at 10c, marked down for this sale per yard.....5c

3000 yds assorted fine batiste, lawns, double fold percales, fine dress gingham and organdies, values 12c, marked down for this sale per yard.....7½c

100 pieces fine quality India Linen, and longcloths, values, regularly sold at 15c, marked down for this sale at per yard.....10c

On our bargain counter we placed all our 25c imported voiles, plain and fancy, and marked them down for this sale at the low price per yard at.....15c

A splendid assortment of dotted swisses, worth 39c per yard, all our silk mulls worth 50c, are marked down at per yard.....25c

A choice assortment of shades in the celebrated lizzard moire, skirting, regularly sold at 50c, marked down at per yard only.....35c

The celebrated Windham Taffeta Silks in plain and changeable colors, always sold at 85c per yard, is marked down for this sale at.....68c

SPECIAL. Manufacturer's surplus stock of lace collars, worth \$2.75-2.50 and \$2.00, are offered during this sale at the very low price each only.....\$1.00

JUNE SALE MUSLIN UNDERWEAR LADIES' SHIRTWAISTS AND SUITS

Prices are pleasingly low for goods of such high character.

GOWNS

\$1.00 quality for.....79c 19c Covers for.....10c
\$1.25 quality for.....98c 39c Covers for.....29c
\$2.00 quality for.....\$1.49 75c Covers for.....49c

CORSET COVERS

SKIRTS, DRAWERS, Etc., Likewise.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS AND SUITS

Waists Shirt Waist Suits
75c Waists.....49c \$2.00 Suits.....\$1.49
98c Waists.....75c \$2.50 Suits.....\$1.98
\$1.50 Waists.....98c \$3.50 Suits.....\$2.98
Sample Waists About Half Others In Proportion.

THE READY-TO-WEAR SECTION SECOND FLOOR TAKE ELEVATOR

SUMMER CORSETS

An assortment of Summer Corsets and steel filled batiste taped Girdles was especially gathered for this sale and which include the best values ever offered. These especially priced values are regularly sold at 50c, for Monday only our Corset Dept. offers them at your choice this day

19c

We carry the most varied line of Corsets in this section of the country, every conceivable style and shape is found here. Think of it, 392 different styles. Prices range from 25c Up To \$35.00

MONEY SAVED ON STRAW HATS.

Men's Sailors, newest shapes, worth 75c especially priced for this sale.....

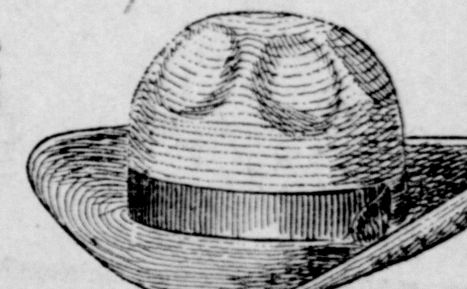
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Men's Genuine Panama Hats, sold everywhere at \$5.00, our price Monday.....

\$3.75

Men's Panama shapes in a big variety, prices especially arranged from \$1.45 down to

48c



Money Saving Items in Pure Groceries.

Sugar—Fine Granulated, 50c
8 pounds for.....
Syrup—Rex Fancy Table, 30c
10 pound tin for.....
Starch—Best bulk, 7 lbs. 25c
here for only.....
Jello—Or Gelvet, any flavor, 8c
per package at.....
Nutmegs—Best Penang, 5c
8 for only.....
Salt—Fine Table Salt, 9c
10 pound sack at.....

Tea—Choice Japan, with 40c
premium checks, per pound.....
Pickles—Small sour or dill, 25c
per gallon at.....
Sugar Corn—Guardian Brand, 25c
4 cans at.....
Peas—Blue Bell, Early June, 8c
per can at.....
Tomatoes—Solid pack, 25c
3 cans for only.....
Blueberries—Loggies, gallons, 50c
each at.....

Apricots—Choice California 25c
2 cans for.....
Apples—New York, gallons, 25c
per can at.....
Soda—Arm and Hammer, 6c
pound package at.....
Yeast Foam—The 5 cent 3c
package at.....
Molasses—Fancy New Orleans 12c
quart bottle.....
Lemons—Fancy California, 1c
each at.....

Dental Parlors.

Artificial Teeth \$7.50
Is it not better for you to give a little attention to your teeth now than wait until they are entirely ruined. Work positively guaranteed.

DR. R. T. CASE,
Manager.

Lace Dept.

All our 15 and 19c fine Torchon laces on sale Monday only at; per yard.....8c

Oriental Allovers, 85c values, 12 different patterns, offered Monday-only at.....49c

Best quality flowered warp prints taffetas, 75c and \$1.00 values per yard, Monday.....49c

Fine Oriental laces, 9 to 14 inches wide, cream and white, values up to 85c Monday only, per yard.....25c

Notions.

Pearl buttons, per dozen 1c
at.....
Large paper of pins, paper 1c
at.....
Two spools basting thread 1c
at.....
Twenty-five gold eye needles 1c
at.....
Cotton tape per roll 1c
at.....
Twenty darning needles, 1c
at.....
Twelve hat pins, 1c
at.....
200 yards machine thread 1c
at.....
Double thread wash rags 1c
at.....
2 dozen hump hook and eye 1c
at.....

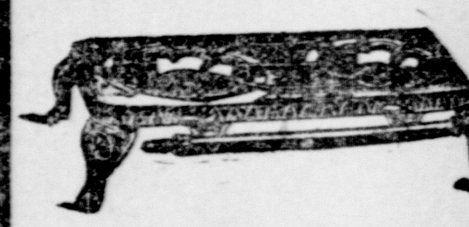
Drug Sundries

20 Mule Team Borax, 1 pound package only.....10c
Moth Balls, per pound at this sale only.....3c
Graves Tooth Powder, best on the market, only.....19c
Beef Iron and wine, large size bottles, only.....49c
2 quart Fountain Syringes worth 75c, sale price.....49c
Bulb Syringes, good quality rubber, worth 50c, only.....29c
Red Rubber Gloves, worth 75c, sale price.....39c

Household Needs.

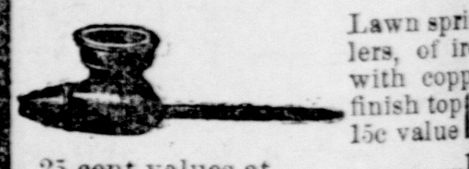
GASOLINE STOVES

We guarantee every stove and test it before delivery. We have the biggest assortment in the city and can save you money. Our prices range up from.....\$1.98

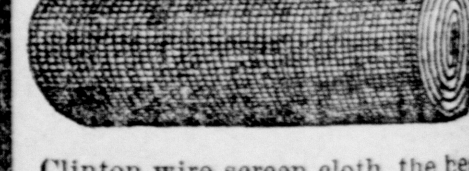


GAS PLATES.

One, two and three burner, plain or nickel plated gas plates big line to select from, up.....69c



Lawn sprinklers, of iron with copper finish top, 15c value.....10c



Clinton wire screen cloth, the best on the market, in our basement at per square foot.....1c



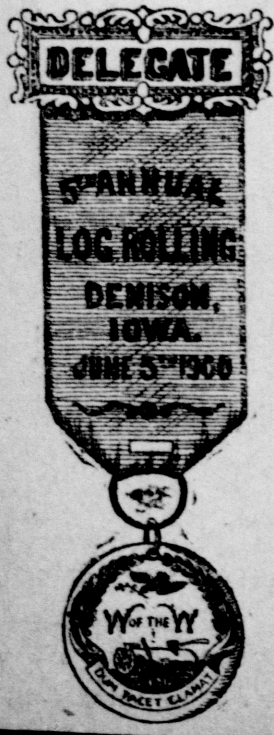
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